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Application Number 10/826,971

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**Response Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 Expedited Procedure**

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Application No. 10/826,971

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AND DECODING

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

This responds to the final Office action dated June 23, 2009 ("final Office action").

Please amend the referenced application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 14.